

**UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT  
DISTRICT OF NORTH DAKOTA**

In re: Bankruptcy No. 24-30168  
Stark Energy, Inc., Chapter 11 – Subchapter V  
Debtor.

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